

House Resolution No. 2166

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State youths who admirably demonstrate their true potential as lifelong learners and future societal leaders through the excellence of their achievements thus far as students; and

Whereas, Teenage Republicans (TARS) at Blue Eye High School have attained considerable distinction as participants in the Blue Eye R-V School District's Learn and Serve program; and

Whereas, Blue Eye Teenage Republicans in the eleventh and twelfth grades recently enhanced their already impressive record of achievement when they were chosen for a Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education Inspire by Example Youth Group award in light of the service-learning projects that they have undertaken; and

Whereas, Blue Eye Teenage Republicans will receive their Inspire by Example Youth Group service-learning award during a special ceremony that will take place at the state capital on April 25, 2007; and

Whereas, Blue Eye Teenage Republicans were formed as a school organization during the 2005-2006 school year, at which time one of the members watched "An Inconvenient Truth" by former vice president Al Gore and was inspired to take action to help end global warming; and

Whereas, Blue Eye Teenage Republicans established a recycling program titled Teenage Republicans United Towards Humanity (TRUTH) that collected one and one-half tons of recyclable paper in a single month; and

Whereas, Blue Eye Teenage Republicans have been so successful with TRUTH that their school has donated the use of a shed by the bus barn to sort and store recyclables before transport to a recycling center:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the well-deserved selection of Blue Eye Teenage Republicans for an Inspire by Example Youth Group service-learning award from the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education and to convey to them this legislative body's most heartfelt welcome to the state capital on April 25, 2007; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Teenage Republicans in Blue Eye, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Maynard Wallace
District No. 143

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 2166, adopted April 17, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker